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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 07 December 2005 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

a) ☐ entered.

b) ☐ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.


c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.

d) ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.

e) ☒ entered in part. See explanation below.

The amendments to the claims to delete the word "and" shall be entered. However, substitution of the word circuit line for substrate is disapproved, because it is not merely a formal matter, but changes the scope thereof. see MPEP 714.16


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